

**Madison Valley Project**  
**NW Diversion and Washington Park Stormwater Storage**  
(Phase 1 ~ Above-ground stormwater facility at 30<sup>th</sup> Ave. E & E John St.)

**THEMES**

- **SAFETY & SECURITY**
  - Maintain clear visual access into and across site
  - Address flood safety through clear routes, signage
- **CHILDREN AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD**
  - Kids as key users in design of circulation, spaces
  - Incorporate playful elements into design
  - Develop area for kids near southwest entry
- **RECREATION**
  - Provide more open lawn on west edge for recreation
  - Add to recreational opportunities in the neighborhood
- **COMMUNITY USES**
  - *Provide interesting loop/perimeter walk circuit\**
  - Provide seating spots, overlooks, perches
  - Rolling lawn, plaza serves as performance space
  - *Wrap the rolling lawn around sides to capture more sun\**
- **LANDSCAPE**
  - *Reference natural history in dry creek and plantings\**
  - Preserve existing trees or reference in new planting
  - Select plants with variety of textures and seasonal color
  - Simplify plantings, broaden lawn for maintenance in SE portion of site
- **ART & CULTURE & UNDERSTANDING**
  - Tell the story of the community
  - *Reveal function of site\**

*\*Comments from the Seattle Design Commission*

